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(b) Political Theory.

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[A vigorous presentation of the arguments for free trade, free competition and free land, with reasons for a less restrictive governmental policy in the regulation of alcoholism, amusements, etc. The book contains an appendix on Municipal Government by Francis Fletcher-Vane.]

L'Idée de l'État. Essai critique sur l'histoire des théories sociales et politiques en France depuis la Révolution. By HENRY MICHEL. Pp. ix, 659. 2d. Ed. Paris: Hachette et Cie, 1896.

[In this work is an examination of the position occupied by the theory of the state in various philosophical systems. The individualistic movement of the eighteenth century, the reaction against individualism in France and Germany and the conflicting tendencies on the political philosophers of the nineteenth century are analyzed with great care.]

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Geschichte der Nationalökonomischen Krisentheorieen. Die Wirthschaftskrisen. By EUGEN von BERGMANN. Pp. viii, 440. Stuttgart: W. Kohlhammer, 1895.

[This is a comprehensive work, comparable with Böhm-Bawerk's "Capital and Interest." The different theories treated are classified into groups, and few prominent economists are neglected. As one would expect, greatest prominence is given to those theories which connect crises with over-production or with monetary disturbances.]

Il Metodo degli Economisti Classici. Nelle sue Relazioni col Progresso della Scienza Economica. By EMILIO COSSA. Pp. vii, 136. Price, 2.50 l. Bologna: Pietro Virano, 1895.

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[In this work is contained not merely a discussion and criticism of Malthus' "Essay on Population," but an independent analysis of the causes that regulate the rate at which population increases, and of the remedies for pauperism. The author's conclusions are at once conservative and optimistic.]

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[This is an "elementary treatise on political economy," concluding with a book on "Progress," in which the author shows how "morality, religion and law" may be made to co-operate in social advancement. It is written in untechnical language, for the most part, and is designed to serve as a companion volume to the author's "Outlines of English Industrial History."]

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(b) Money and Banking.

A Breed of Barren Metal; or, Currency and Interest. A Study of Social and Industrial Problems. By J. W. Bennett. Pp. 258. Price, paper, 25c.; cloth, 75c. Chicago: C. H. Kerr & Co., 1895. [This work is a treatise on political economy rather than an essay on the money question. The author finds in capitalistic production the root of our present social evils, and completes his analysis with a forecast in which the soft-handed interest-receiver of to-day works shoulder to shoulder with the laborer. The tone of the book is moderate, and many of the criticisms of our present industrial organization are suggestive.]

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[A painstaking study of the monetary system of India, and of the influence of the fall in the price of silver upon its commerce and industry.]

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[A summary of the recent work of private associations and especially the efforts of the cities of England looking to the solution of the housing problem. The author approaches the question with the training of the social observer combined with the technical knowledge of the sanitary scientist.]

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[A French translation of Gumplowicz's "Grundriss der Sociologie," published in German in 1885.

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[This is a valuable collection of statistics and opinions throwing light upon the conditions which prevailed in the South before 1860. Of his nine chapters the author devotes four to the industrial side of his subject. He has made use of contemporary sources and confirms the view that the South was the helpless victim of her peculiar institution.]

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[This is a valuable contribution to sociological literature written with the deliberate purpose of exposing the weakness of the anti-Semitic movement. An exhaustive study of the Jewish character is given and the conclusion arrived at that the Jew is much like the Christian and not at all to blame for the evils which are ascribed to him.]

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[Chapters on crime and its social treatment, pauperism, child-saving and various phases of relief work. It is seven years since the first edition was published, and the book has been out of print for some time.

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